

Lord's Day Service



At Church of the King on October 22nd, 2023

The 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

Jesus said, "If you love Me, keep My commandments." John 14:15

Call to Worship: Where God Calls Us Into His Presence

*"Give to Jehovah the glory due His name; Bring an offering, and come before Him.
Oh, worship Jehovah in the beauty of holiness!" 1 Chronicles 16:29*

Hear Today's Call to Worship from God's Word: [congregation standing]

Sing, O heavens, for Jehovah has done it! Shout, you lower parts of the earth; Break forth into singing, you mountains, O forest, and every tree in it! For Jehovah has redeemed Jacob, and glorified Himself in Israel. Thus says Jehovah, your Redeemer, and He who formed you from the womb: "I am Jehovah, who makes all things, Who stretches out the heavens all alone, Who spreads abroad the earth by Myself; Isaiah 44:23-24

Come, Worship Jehovah in Spirit and in Truth

God's People Respond With a Hymn of Adoration: (based on Psalm 145:10)

O worship the King all glorious above,	O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,
O gratefully sing his power and His love.	Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space.
Our shield and defender, the ancient of days,	His chariot of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.	And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

Salutation and Response: [based on Matthew 28:19, Ruth 2:4 and Psalm 29:4,11]

In the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit

Amen!

Jehovah be with you!

And also with you!

The voice of Jehovah is strong

The voice of Jehovah is majestic!

Jehovah sits enthroned as king forever,

[men] **Jehovah gives strength to his people!**

[women] **Jehovah blesses His people with peace!**

Confession of Sins: Where God Cleanses Us In Christ

"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." 1 John 1:9

The Call For Confession From God's Word:

"Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded. Lament and mourn and weep! Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up." James 4:8-10

God's People sing our Hymn of Confession:

[congregation standing]

O Lord, My God, Most Earnestly

Psalm 63

THIRD MODE MELODY (C.M.D.)
Thomas Tallis, 1567; alt.

Psalter, 1912
rev. *Psalter Hymnal*, 1987

1. O Lord, my God, most ear-nest - ly I seek Your ho - ly face,
2. The lov - ing - kind - ness of my God is more than life to me,
3. Be - neath the sha - dow of Your wings I sing my joy and praise.

With - in Your house a - gain to see the glo - ries of Your grace.
So I will praise You all my days and pray con - tin - ual - ly.
Your right hand is my strong sup - port through trou - bled nights and days.

A - part from — You I long and thirst and naught can sat - is - fy;
In You my — soul is sat - is - fied, my dark - ness turns to light,
All those who — seek my life will fall; my life is in Your hand.

I wan - der — in a des - ert — land where all the streams are dry.
and joy - ful — med - i - ta - tions — fill the watch - es of the night.
God's king and — peo - ple will re - joice; in vic - t'ry they will stand.

Silent Confession: *"This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief." 1 Timothy 1:15*

Those who are willing and able are invited to kneel for our time of confession.

Corporate Prayer of Confession:

Lord God our Savior, who has performed the mercy promised to our fathers, and remembered your holy covenant made in ages past, we ask you to forgive our sins and deliver us from our enemies. Through your tender mercies, with which the Dayspring from on high has visited us, even we who have sat in darkness and the shadow of death, give us your light to guide our feet into the way of peace. Grant that we might serve Christ our Lord without fear, in holiness and righteousness before Him all the days of our lives. For we pray in the name of our only Savior, Jesus Christ. AMEN!

Arise and Receive the Assurance of Pardon & Forgiveness:

"Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, every one, to his own way; And Jehovah has laid on Him the iniquity of us all. He was oppressed and He was afflicted, yet He opened not His mouth; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before its shearers is silent, so He opened not His mouth. He was taken from prison and from judgment, and who will declare His generation? For He was cut off from the land of the living; For the transgressions of My people He was stricken." Isaiah 53:4-8

As an officer in Christ's Church, ministering in His name, I now proclaim to us the forgiveness of sins, and declare, according to the Scriptures, that having truly trusted in Jesus, the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world, that our sins are not only forgiven on earth, but also in heaven throughout eternity.

I must also state to any here, who are not truly confessing sin and have no desire to live in obedience to Jesus Christ: Your sins are held against you in the Holy Judgement of God. You cannot be forgiven, unless you repent and seek forgiveness through the sacrifice and obedience of Jesus Christ. This I declare in the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen. **Come, Let us worship the Lord!**

Come Bless the Father:

Come bless the Fath - er, all you ser - vants of the Son, who stand by the Spir - it in the
House of the Lord. Lift up your hands to the Ho - ly Place and bless your God.
May the Lord _____ bless you from Zi - on, He Who made hea - ven and earth. _____

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up un - to the Lord!

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God!

It is pro - per and right to do so.

Truly it is proper and right that we should at all times and in all places give praise to you O Lord, so with the angels and all the company of heaven and with the Church on earth, we praise and magnify your glorious Name, evermore praising you & singing:

God's People Sing a Hymn of Thanks:

2 pages [Congregation standing]

"Stand up and bless Jehovah your God Forever and ever!" "Blessed be Your glorious name, Which is exalted above all blessing and praise!" Nehemiah 9:5b

All Creatures of Our God and King

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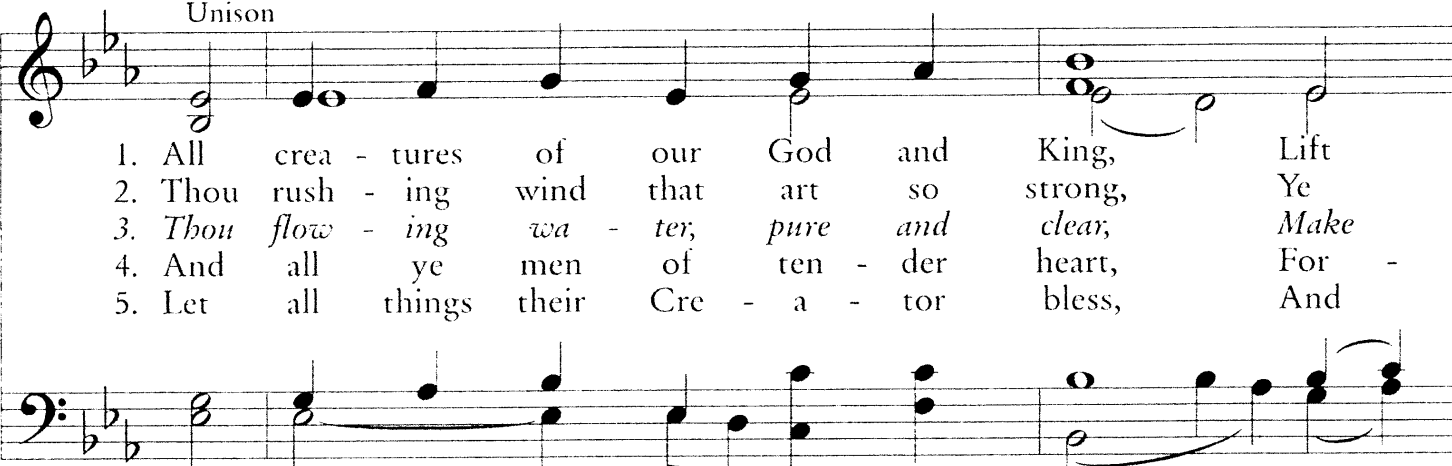
Geistliche Kirchengesänge, Köln, 1623

harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906

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Unison



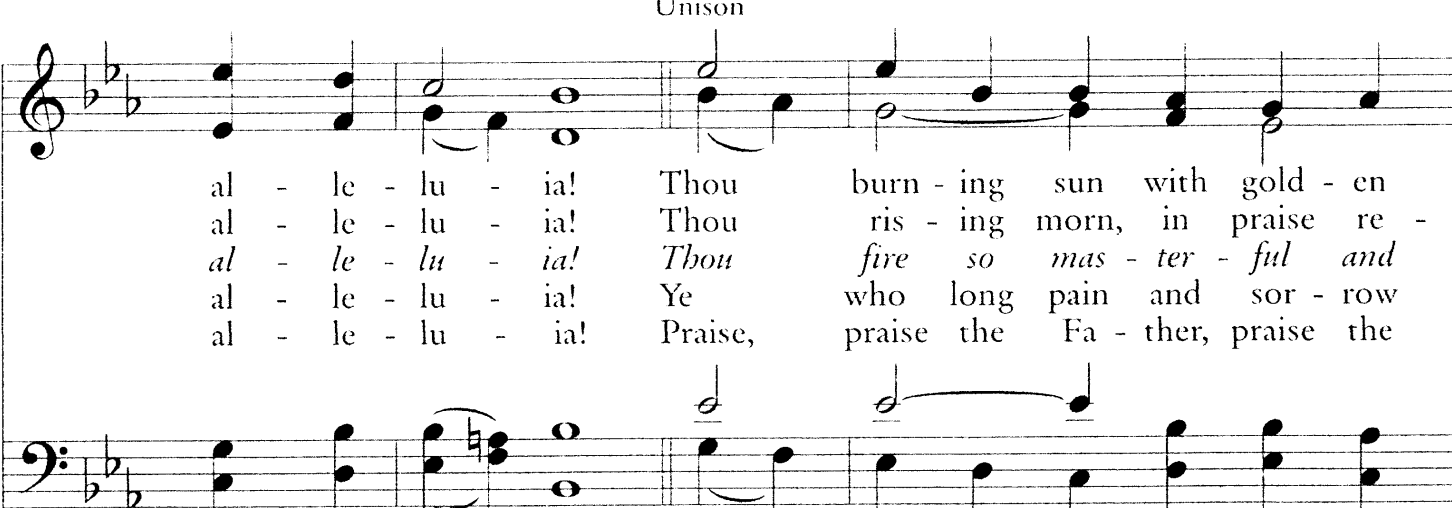
1. All crea - tures of our God and King, Lift
2. Thou rush - ing wind that art so strong, Ye
3. *Thou flow - ing wa - ter, pure and clear, Make*
4. And all ye men of ten - der heart, For -
5. Let all things their Cre - a - tor bless, And

Harmony

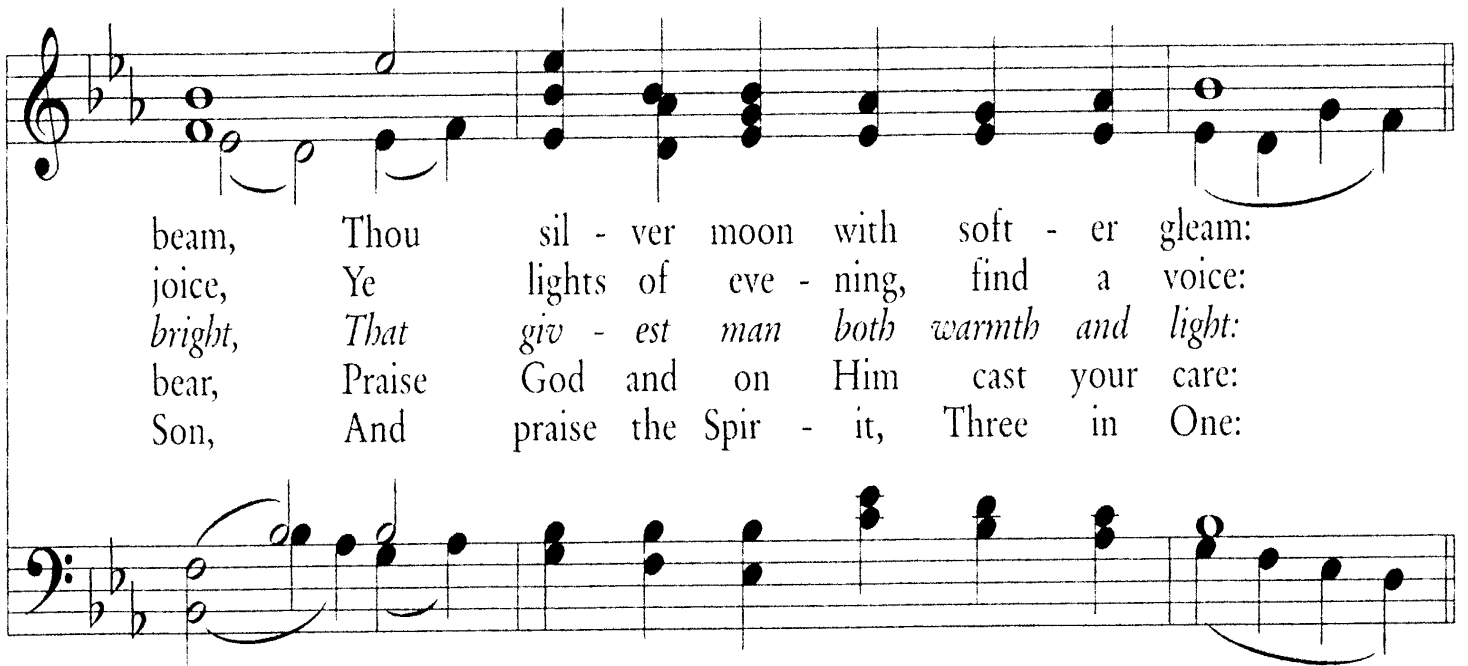


up your voice and with us sing Al - le - lu - ia,
clouds that sail in heaven a - long, O - - - - - praise Him,
mu - sic for thy Lord to bear, Al - le - lu - ia,
giv - ing oth - ers, take your part, O - - - - - sing ye,
wor - ship Him in hum - ble - ness, O - - - - - praise Him,

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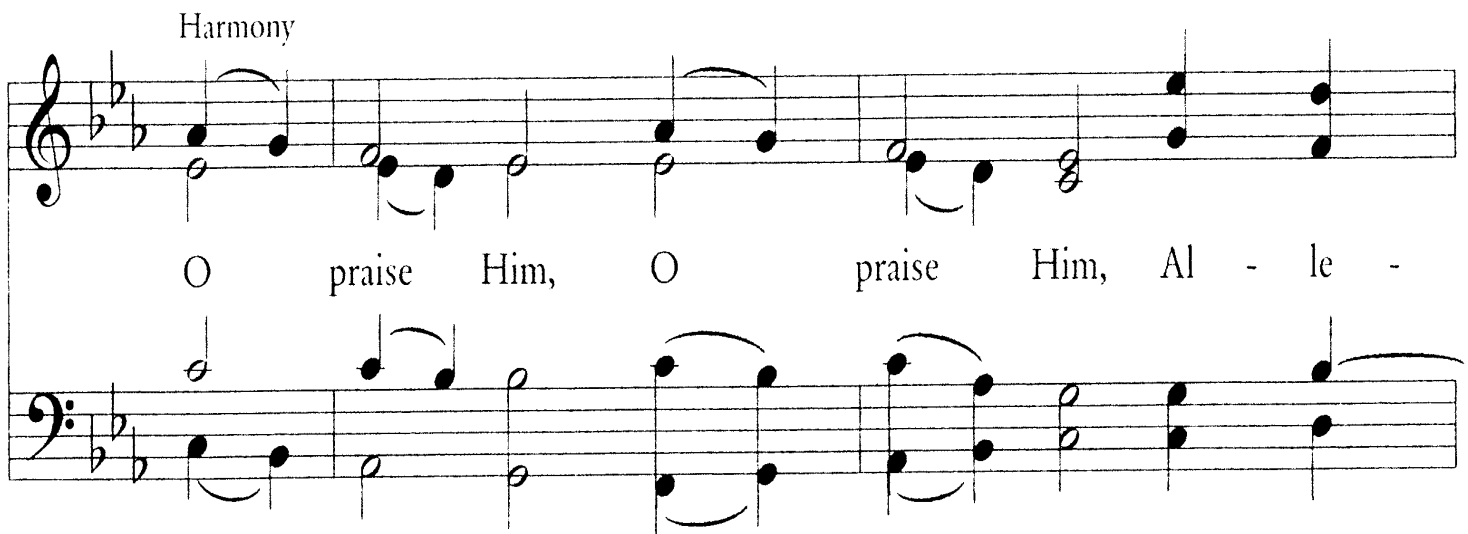


al - le - lu - ia! Thou burn - ing sun with gold - en
al - le - lu - ia! Thou ris - ing morn, in praise re -
al - le - lu - ia! Thou fire so mas - ter - ful and
al - le - lu - ia! Ye who long pain and sor - row
al - le - lu - ia! Praise, praise the Fa - ther, praise the



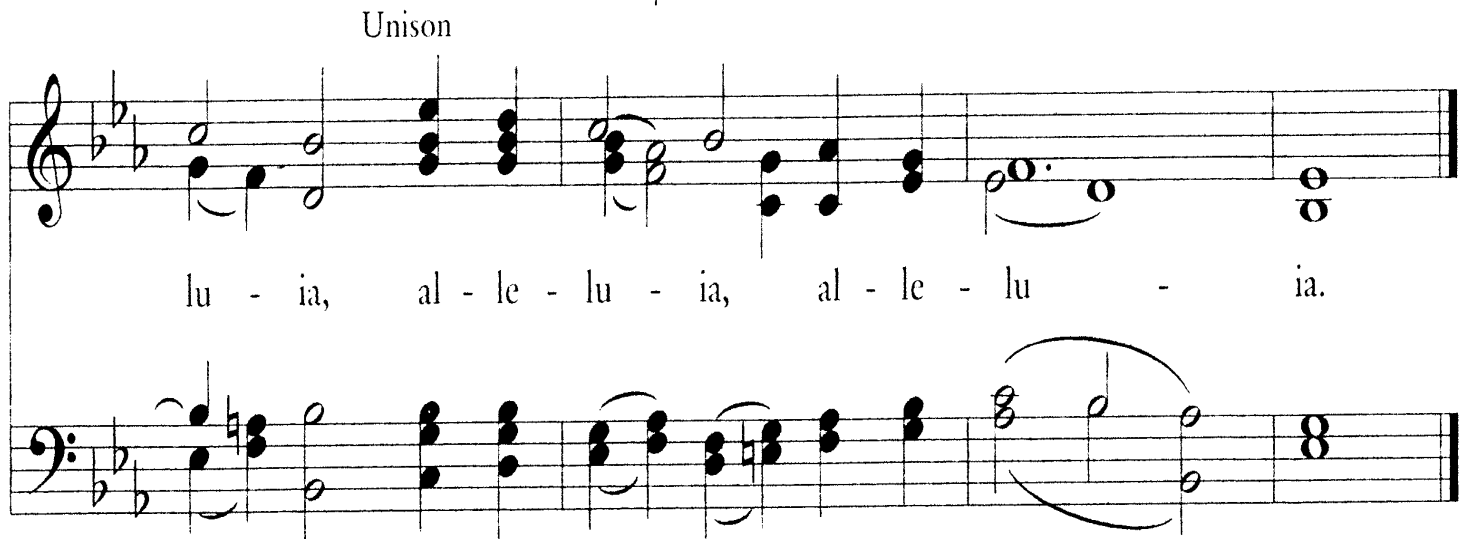
beam, Thou sil - ver moon with soft - er gleam:
joice, Ye lights of eve - ning, find a voice:
bright, That giv - est man both *warmth* and *light*:
bear, Praise God and on Him cast your care:
Son, And praise the Spir - it, Three in One:

Harmony



O praise Him, O praise Him, Al - le -

Unison



lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

The Sacrament of Baptism:

The Ferguson Family presents **Josephine and Armand**
for Baptism into the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

"Then they also brought infants to Him that He might touch them; but when the disciples saw it, they rebuked them. But Jesus called them to Him and said, "Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of God. "Assuredly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will by no means enter it." Luke 18:15-17

"Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call." Acts 2:38, 39

Moreover, brethren, I do not want you to be unaware that all our fathers were under the cloud, all passed through the sea, all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them, and that Rock was Christ. I Corinthians 10:1-4

Hymn of Thanks: *Beneath the Blood-Stained Doorpost*

Based on Exodus 12, words attributed to Harry Ironside, sung to the tune of O Sacred Head Now Wounded

***Beneath the blood-stained doorpost I with my children stand;
A messenger of evil is passing through the land.
There is no other refuge from the destroyer's face;
Beneath the blood-stained doorpost shall be our hiding place.***

***My Savior, for my dear ones I claim Thy promise true.
The Lamb is "for the household"—the children's Savior too.
On earth the little children once felt Thy touch divine;
Beneath the blood-stained doorpost Thy blessing give to mine.***

***O Thou who gave them, guard them, those wayward little feet,
The wilderness before them, the ills of life to meet.
My mother love is helpless, I trust them to Thy care!
Beneath the blood-stained doorpost, oh, keep me ever there!***

Consecration: Where God Equips & Prepares His People

"You are My witnesses," says Jehovah, "And My servant whom I have chosen, That you may know and believe Me, And understand that I am He. Before Me there was no God formed, Nor shall there be after Me. I, even I, am Jehovah, And besides Me there is no savior. Isaiah 43:10-11

THE LORD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD: Genesis 1:1 – 2:2

2 pages

The Creation of the Heavens and the Earth

[1] In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.

The earth was without form, and void; and darkness was on the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.

Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light.

And God saw the light, that it was good; and God divided the light from the darkness.

God called the light Day, and the darkness He called Night. So the evening and the morning were the first day.

Then God said, "Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters." Thus God made the firmament, and divided the waters which were under the firmament from the waters which were above the firmament; and it was so.

And God called the firmament Heaven. So the evening and the morning were the second day.

Then God said, "Let the waters under the heavens be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear"; and it was so.

And God called the dry land Earth, and the gathering together of the waters He called Seas. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, "Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb that yields seed, and the fruit tree that yields fruit according to its kind, whose seed is in itself, on the earth"; and it was so.

And the earth brought forth grass, the herb that yields seed according to its kind, and the tree that yields fruit, whose seed is in itself according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. So the evening and the morning were the third day.

Then God said, "Let there be lights in the firmament of the heavens to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs and seasons, and for days and years; and let them be for lights in the firmament of the heavens to give light on the earth"; and it was so.

Then God made two great lights: the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night. He made the stars also. God set them in the firmament of the heavens to give light on the earth, and to rule over the day and over the night, and to divide the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. So the evening and the morning were the fourth day.

Then God said, "Let the waters abound with an abundance of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the face of the firmament of the heavens." So God created great sea creatures and every living thing that moves, with which the waters abounded, according to their kind, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good.

And God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." So the evening and the morning were the fifth day.

Then God said, "Let the earth bring forth the living creature according to its kind: cattle and creeping thing and beast of the earth, each according to its kind"; and it was so.

And God made the beast of the earth according to its kind, cattle according to its kind, and everything that creeps on the earth according to its kind. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it; have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over every living thing that moves on the earth."

And God said, "See, I have given you every herb that yields seed which is on the face of all the earth, and every tree whose fruit yields seed; to you it shall be for food. Also, to every beast of the earth, to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, in which there is life, I have given every green herb for food"; and it was so.

Then God saw everything that He had made, and indeed it was very good. So the evening and the morning were the sixth day.

[2:1] Thus the heavens and the earth, and all the host of them, were finished. And on the seventh day God ended His work which He had done, and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had done.

God's People Respond With The Singing Of:

Psalm 19 2 pages

[congregation standing]

*"Oh, give thanks to the Lord! Call upon His name; Make known His deeds among the peoples!
Sing to Him, sing psalms to Him; Talk of all His wondrous works!" Psalm 105:1,2*

Psalm 19

To the Chief Musician. A Psalm of David.

1 The heav - ens de - clare the glo - ry of God; And the firm - a - ment shows His hand - i - work.

2 Day un - to day ut - ters speech, And night un - to night re - veals know - ledge.

3 There is no speech nor lan - guage Where their voice is not heard.

4 Their line has gone out through all the earth, And their words to the end of the world.

5 In them He has set a ta - ber - na - cle for the sun,

6 Which is like a bridegroom coming out of his cham - ber, And rejoices like a strong man to run its race.

7 Its ris - ing is from one end of heav'n, And its cir - cuit to the oth - er end;

8 And there is no - thing hid - den from its heat.

Psalm 19

27 A5

7 The law of the LORD is perfect, con - vert - ing the soul;
 8 The statutes of the LORD are right, re - joic - ing the heart;
 9 The fear of the LORD is clean, endur - ing for - ev - er;

28 C- D5 E

The testimony of the LORD is sure, mak - ing wise the simple;
 The commandment of the LORD is pure, en - light - en - ing the eyes;
 The judgments of the LORD are true and right - eous al - to - gether.

29 Am G F Dm E Am G/B C

10 More to be de - sired are they than gold, Yea, than much fine gold;

32 E5 Am G F Dm E

Sweet - er al - so than hon - ey and the hon - ey - comb.

35 Am G Am F G/B Asus9 Am

11 More - o - ver by them Your ser - vant is warned,

39 C G F B7/F E

And in keep - ing them there is great re - ward.

43 A5

12 Who can under - - - stand his er - rors?
 13 Keep back Your servant also from pre - sump - tuous sins;
 Then I shall be blame - less,

44 C- D5 E

Cleanse me from sec - ret faults.
 Let them not have do - min - ion o - ver me.
 And I shall be inno - cent of great trans - gression.

45 Am G Am F G/B Asus9 Am

14 Let the words of my mouth and the med - i - ta - tion of my heart

49 C G F B7/F E

Be ac - cept - a - ble in Your sight, O LORD, my strength and my Re - deem - er.

God Speaks to Us Through His Word: Scripture, Prayer for Illumination, and Sermon

"Blessed is the man whom You instruct, O Jehovah, and teach out of Your law." Psalm 94:12

"What Does Baptism Accomplish, Part 2"

From Pastor Paul Liberati

Based on 1 Corinthians 12:12-13

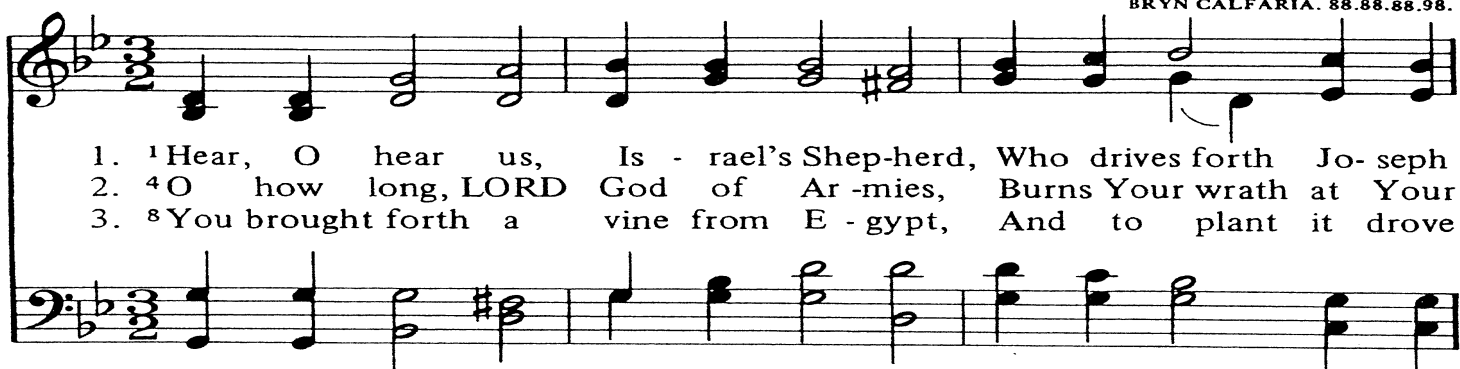
God's People Sing a Hymn of Response:

[congregation standing]

"It is good to give thanks to the Lord, And to sing praises to Your name, O Most High" Psalm 92:1

PSALM 80

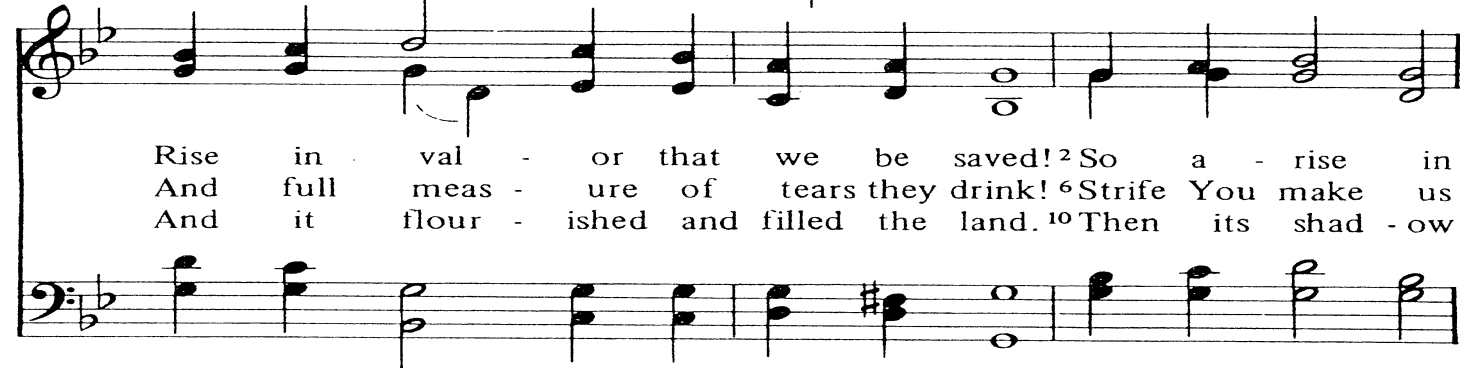
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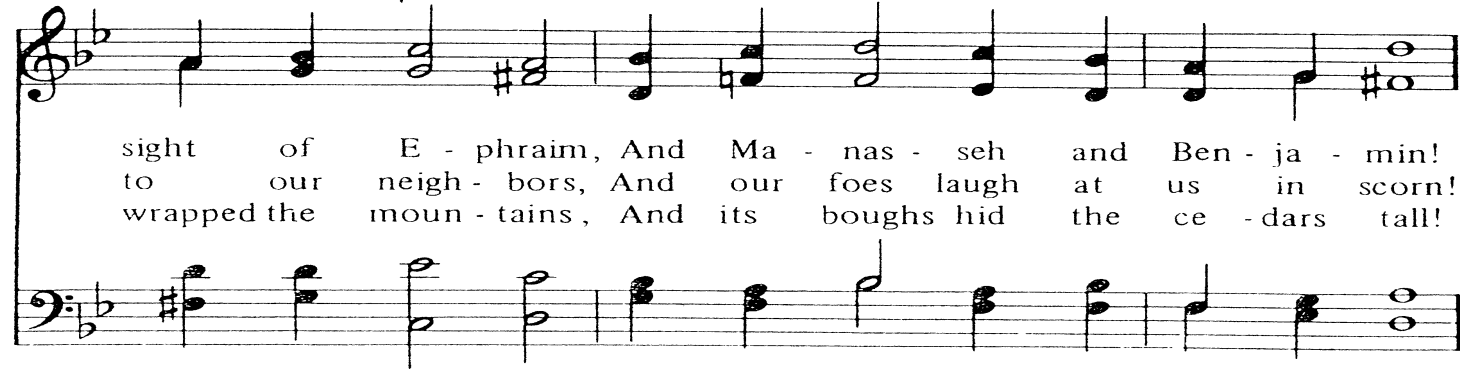
1. ¹Hear, O hear us, Is - rael's Shep-herd, Who drives forth Jo-seph
2. ⁴O how long, LORD God of Ar-mies, Burns Your wrath at Your
3. ⁸You brought forth a vine from E - gypt, And to plant it drove



like a flock! From the cher - u - bim, O shine forth!
peo - ple's prayer!⁵With the bread of tears You feed them,
na - tions out. ⁹You made room to root it deep - ly,



Rise in val - or that we be saved!²So a - rise in
And full meas - ure of tears they drink!⁶Strife You make us
And it flour - ished and filled the land.¹⁰Then its shad - ow



sight of E - phraim, And Ma - nas - seh and Ben - ja - min!
to our neigh - bors, And our foes laugh at us in scorn!
wrapped the moun - tains, And its boughs hid the ce - dars tall!

³God, we pray, O turn us! Bring us back!
⁷God of Ar - mies, turn us! Bring us back!
¹¹To the sea it thrust great branch - es forth.

Make Your face shine, and we are saved!
 Make Your face shine, and we are saved!
 And young shoots to the might - y stream!

4. ¹²Why have You torn down its fences?
 It is plucked by each passing hand!
¹³Forest boars have gnawed upon it,
 And wild creatures have pastured there!
¹⁴Turn again, O God of Armies!
 Look from heav'n! Visit this Your vine!
¹⁵So uphold what Your right hand did plant,
 And the son You raised up in strength!

5. ¹⁶It is burned and hewn in pieces —
 By Your frown will they be destroyed!
¹⁷Lay Your hand on him You favored,
 Son of man that You raised in strength!
¹⁸Then from You we will not wander;
 Make us live! We will call Your name!
¹⁹O LORD God of Armies, turn us back!
 Make Your face shine, and we are saved!

The Heidelberg Catechism — Holding forth faith in Jesus Christ as our only comfort in life and in death, we read responsively the weekly questions from the Heidelberg Catechism as a personal and eloquent reminder of what we must know to live and die in that comfort. Lord's Day 43 **2 pages**

112. What does the ninth commandment require?

That I bear false witness against no one,[1] twist no one's words,[2] be no backbiter or slanderer,[3] join in condemning no one unheard or rashly;[4] but that on pain of God's heavy wrath, I avoid all lying and deceit [5] as the very works of the devil;[6] and that in matters of judgment and justice and in all other affairs, I love, speak honestly, and confess the truth;[7] also, insofar as I can, defend and promote my neighbor's good name.[8]

[1] Prov. 19:5, 9. [2] Ps. 15:3. [3] Rom. 1:28–30. [4] Matt. 7:1–2. Lk. 6:37. [5] Jn. 8:44. [6] Prov. 12:22; 13:5.

[7] 1 Cor. 13:6; Eph. 4:25. [8] 1 Pet. 4:8; *Jn. 7:24, 51; *1 Pet. 2:21, 23; *Col. 4:6; *1 Pet 3:9.

Member Covenant Signing:

Kevin Ko, Peggy Love, the Whitted Family and the Ferguson Family

“Then the king stood in his place and made a covenant before the Lord, to follow the Lord, and to keep His commandments and His testimonies and His statutes with all his heart and all his soul, to perform the words of the covenant that were written in this book. And he made all who were present in Jerusalem and Benjamin take a stand. So the inhabitants of Jerusalem did according to the covenant of God, the God of their fathers.” II Chronicles 34:31,32

“And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers.” Acts 2:42

God Receives our Tithes and Gifts as a Tribute Offering: [read in unison]

Then everyone came whose heart was stirred, and everyone whose spirit was willing, *and* they brought Jehovah's offering for the work of the tabernacle of meeting, for all its service, and for the holy garments. They came, both men and women, as many as had a willing heart, *and* brought earrings and nose rings, rings and necklaces, all jewelry of gold, that is, every man who *made* an offering of gold to Jehovah...The children of Israel brought a freewill offering to Jehovah, all the men and women whose hearts were willing to bring *material* for all kinds of work which Jehovah, by the hand of Moses, had commanded to be done. Exodus 35:21-22;29

Presenting Our Tithes and Offerings:

With the singing of Psalm 100:1-3, & the Doxology

Words composed by William Kethe, 1561

**1: All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.
Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell;
Come ye before Him and rejoice.**

**2: Know that the Lord is God indeed;
Without our aid He did us make;
We are His folk, He doth us feed,
And for His sheep He doth us take.**

**3: Praise God from Whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.**

The Great Prayer, Concluding with the Lord's Prayer:

Communion: Where God Communes With His People

Preparation for Communion:

Congregation of the Lord Jesus Christ,
the Lord has prepared His table for all who love and trust Him for their salvation. All those who have repented of their sins, have been baptized in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, and are not under discipline from Christ's Church are welcome at this table. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as our Lord our God will call.

Our Confession of Faith - The Apostle's Creed [sung with music by Amber Bartels]

Piano

The image shows a piano accompaniment for the Apostle's Creed. It consists of nine systems of music, each with a treble and bass clef staff. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the notes. The music is in a simple, hymn-like style with a steady accompaniment.

I be - lieve in God the Fa - ther Al - migh - ty, Ma - ker of hea - ven and earth;

8
And in Je - sus Christ, His on - ly be - got - ten Son, our Lord; Who was con - ceived by the

16
Ho - ly Spi - rit, born of the vir - gin Ma - ry, Suf - fered un - der Pon - tius

25
Pi - late, was cru - ci - fied, dead and bur - ied; He de - scend - ed in - to

35
hell, the third day He rose a - gain from the dead; He as - cend - ed in - to

43
heav - en, and sit - teth at the right hand of God the Fath - er Al - migh - ty; From

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thence He shall come to judge the liv - ing and the dead. I be - lieve in the Ho - ly Spi - rit,

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I be - lieve a ho - ly cath - olic Church, the com - mun - ion of saints, the for - give - ness of sins; the

70
re - sur - rec - tion of the bo - dy, and the life ev - er - last - ing. A - men.

THE LORD COMMUNES WITH US AT HIS TABLE: (Peace Offering, Gift of Life)

A Word of Encouragement -- Giving of Thanks -- Breaking of the Bread

God's People Sing a Hymn of Thanks and Celebration:

(Sung as a representative of each family comes forward to receive their bread and wine)

O Food of Men Wayfaring

NE VEUILLES PAS, Ô SIRE [O ESCA VIATORUM] (7 7 6. 7 7 6)
Genevan Psalter, 1542
harm. Claude Goudimel, 1564; alt.

Latin, 1661
tr. Athelstan Riley, 1906; alt.

1. O Food of men way - far - - - ing, The bread of
2. O stream of love past tell - - - ing, O pur - est
3. O Je - sus, by Thee bid - - - den, We here pro -

an - gels shar - ing, O Man - na from on high!
foun - tain, well - ing From out the Sav - ior's side!
claim Thee, hid - den Through forms of bread and wine.

We hun - ger; Lord, sup - ply us, Nor Thy
We faint with thirst; re - vive us, Of Thine
Grant when the veil is riv - en, We may

de - lights de - ny us, Whose hearts to Thee draw nigh.
a - bun - dance give us, And all we need pro - vide.
be - hold, in hea - ven, Thy coun - te - nance di - vine.

**Feasting at the Lord's Table: A simple act of obedience on the 1st day of a new week.
Partaking of the Bread Together -- Giving Thanks -- Partaking of the Wine**

"For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes." 1 Corinthians 11:26

Commissioning: Where God Sends Out His People

"All Your works shall praise You, O Jehovah, and Your saints shall bless You. They shall speak of the Glory of Your Kingdom, and talk of Your Power, to make known to the sons of men His Mighty Acts, And the Glorious Majesty of His Kingdom. Your Kingdom is an Everlasting Kingdom, And Your Dominion endures throughout all generations." Psalm 145:10-13

God's People Prepare To Be Sent Forth:

Psalm 83

1. Do not be silent, God, or un-re-spond-ing, Do not re-
 2. To- geth- er they con- spire in dead- ly ear- nest, a- gainst You
 3. Treat them like Mid- i- an, like Ja- bin's ar- my, Treat them like
 4. Like fire that burns the woods, like flames of light- ning, Pur- sue them

main at rest, O Might- y One For now Your foes a- rouse and make a
 they have made a cov- e- nant The Ish- mae- lites are there, the tents of
 Sis- e- ra at Ki- shon's brook. At En- dor they were all an- ni- hi-
 with Your storms and strike with fear. Fill up their fac- es with hu- mil- i-

cla- mor, Your bit- ter en- e- mies lift up the head. A- gainst Your
 E- dom, the men of Mo- ab with the Hag- a- renes. See Ge- bal,
 la- ted, And they be- came as dung up- on the ground. Like O- reb
 a- tion, And let them seek Your name, Je- ho- vah, then. Let them be

peo- ple now they plot in se- cret, They meet to work a- gainst
 A- ma- lek, with men of Am- mon, Be- hold, Phil- i- sti- a,
 make their chiefs, their lords like Ze- bah! Who thought they would pos- sess
 ter- ri- fied and shamed for- ev- er, And let them be dis- mayed

Your hid- den ones; They say, "Let us go up, and end their
 and them of Tyre For As- shur us too has come and joins their
 the land of God. My God, O make them be like whil- ing-
 and be de- stroyed. Let them know You a- lone- You are Je-

na- tion: the name of Is- ra- el shall be no more!"
 for- ces; they are the pow- er of the sons of Lot!
 dust- clouds; Make them like bits of chaff be- fore the wind.
 ho- vah- You are the One Most High o'er all the earth.

God Blesses His People – The Benediction:

[congregation standing]

*Then Aaron lifted up his hands toward the people and blessed them,
and he came down from offering the sin offering and the burnt offering and the peace offerings. Leviticus 9:22*

“Jehovah bless thee, and keep thee: Jehovah make His face to shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee: Jehovah lift up His countenance upon thee, and give thee peace. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. Amen.” *Numbers 6:24-26 & 2 Cor 13:14*

God’s People Depart to Serve the Risen & Reigning Savior by Singing:

Simeon’s Prayer & the Gloria Patri

Lord, now let- test Thou Thy ser- vant de- part in peace, ac- cord- ing to Thy Word:

For mine eyes have seen Thy sal-va- tion, Which Thou hast pre- pared be- fore the face of all peo-ple;

A light to ligh- ten the Gen- tiles, and the glo- ry of Thy peo-ple is - ra - el.

-- With Lifted Hands --

Glo- ry be to the Fa- ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho- ly Ghost;

as it was in the be- gin-ning, is now and ev- er shall be, world with- out end. A - men.

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~ Worship begins promptly at 1:00 p.m. ~ Today's pulpit supply ~ Pastor Paul Liberati ~

PRAYER REQUESTS

- For all who claim the Name of Jesus, that we would live in a manner worthy of our calling, serving one another to the glory of God. May we be humble in all our interactions, having patience & bearing with one another in love, uniting in the bond of our Savior, worshipping Him in spirit & in truth, seeking His face in prayer, & faithfully studying His Word.
- For our expectant mothers, Claire Smith, Sarah Sifford, Sindy Kendrick, & Brianna Whitted, that their babies would continue to grow healthy & strong, & for renewed energy & strength for all of the mothers in our midst.
- For our families who are seeking to move, that our Lord would provide for their needs.
- For all who are dealing with illness, injury, other health issues, grief, or personal trials, that our Lord would grant patience, healing, wisdom, comfort, & trust in the perfect will of the One Who does all things well.
- For family members & friends who are under discipline, unsaved, or have strayed from the faith, that our Lord would bring them to repentance & restore them to the fellowship of Christ's church; & that we would boldly & lovingly proclaim the truth to them at every opportunity, standing strong in the Lord & in the power of His might.
- For churches who are in need of pastors, elders, & deacons, that our Lord would continue to raise up Godly men to lead these flocks, & for those men who are currently serving, that they may have strengthened faith & abundant wisdom as they minister to their congregations.
- For the saints throughout the world who are suffering & dying in the Name of Jesus, that they would find strength, comfort, & hope as they fully trust in God's goodness. And also for their persecutors, that their hearts would be softened to the Gospel.
- For all elected & appointed officials, that they would recognize their need to depend on God for knowledge, wisdom, & the courage to do what is right, reject all counsel that violates righteousness, & bring dignity, honor, trustworthiness, & integrity to their positions, remembering their accountability to Almighty God, Who is angry with the wicked every day.
- For the Church worldwide, that the Word of God would be faithfully preached, believed, & obeyed, giving glory to the Name of our only Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.

Our fellowship lunch follows today's worship service. We welcome all to be our guests & to sing as we ask the Lord's blessing:

Be present at our table Lord.

Be here and everywhere adored.

These mercies bless and grant that we
May feast in Paradise with Thee.

We thank Thee Lord for this our food,
For life and health and every good.
By Thine own hand may we be fed.
Give us this day our daily bread.

Weekly Meetings (also detailed on our website):

Men's Fellowship Breakfast:

~ Meets at 8:00am on Tuesdays at Denny's on Sunrise; reading By This Standard: The Authority of God's Law Today by Greg Bahnsen Contact Pastor Stoo.

Sacramento Area Bible Study:

~ Meets at 7:00pm on Tuesdays. Contact Patrick Avanto.

Grass Valley Area Book Study:

~ Meets for potluck at 6:00pm, study starts at 7:00pm on Wednesdays at rotating locations; reading No Mere Mortals by Toby Sumpter. Contact Nathaniel Pettyjohn. (530)205-5162

Ladies' Book Study:

~ Meets at 9:00am on Saturdays at the Stoo's home. Contact Linda Stoo.

Vallejo Area Study:

~ Meets at the Kendrick home every two weeks. Contact Damell Kendrick.

Birthdays

Frederick Vogt ~ October 24th

Sean VanNess ~ October 25th

Birken Vogt ~ October 27th

Hall Takedown Today

Nathaniel & Spencer Pettyjohn, Damell Kendrick, Jonathan Liberati, Sean VanNess

Next Week's Playground Duty

Kendrick